

Units Rated Capacity Increased

The rated capacity for Units 1 and 2 at the Intermountain Generating Station was increased from 840 megawatts (MW) gross to 865 MW gross during the winter and to 855 MW gross during the summer months of June, July, August and September. The rerating was done last summer.

According to Jerry Hintze, assistant superintendent of technical services, the purpose of increasing capacity was to provide increased net generation and increased annual revenues without substantially increasing operating costs.

"Even though the units have been rerated to a higher capacity, the availability hasn't ^{the portion of the} dropped. In fact, the equivalent availability ^{accounted to} for the first six months ^{seven} has ^{improved} remained at ^{equivalent} about 98.59% ^(98.70) percent," said Hintze. ^[92.83]

^{0.93} For the first ^{seven} six months since the units were rerated, generation increased by 1.2% ^{Δ 1.04} percent, which amounts to about \$5.8 million ^{Δ 4.44} in increased revenue. ^{92.04} ^{94.95} ^(92.48) ^{92.83} ^[93.81] ^{to the project}

			FY 94-95	July-Jan
			715.96	
Equivalent Derate Hours	11.07	-0	15931 hrs	107.82
Output Factor	82.58		82.35	92.85 92.56

operational window 2.1%

July-Jan 94	July-Jan 95	Generation
7,174,634	6,862,484	-4.55% reduction over same period

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